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3. 32 pound Sea Coast Gun 8 "
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16 24 pound Cohorn morter
17 a platform for the cohorn morter
18 4 20 & 2 small field pieces
22 the flag staff
23 the well
24 the Guard House
25 the Sutler Shop
26 the Ordinance Sergeants House
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28 the Barracks
29 the Officers quarters
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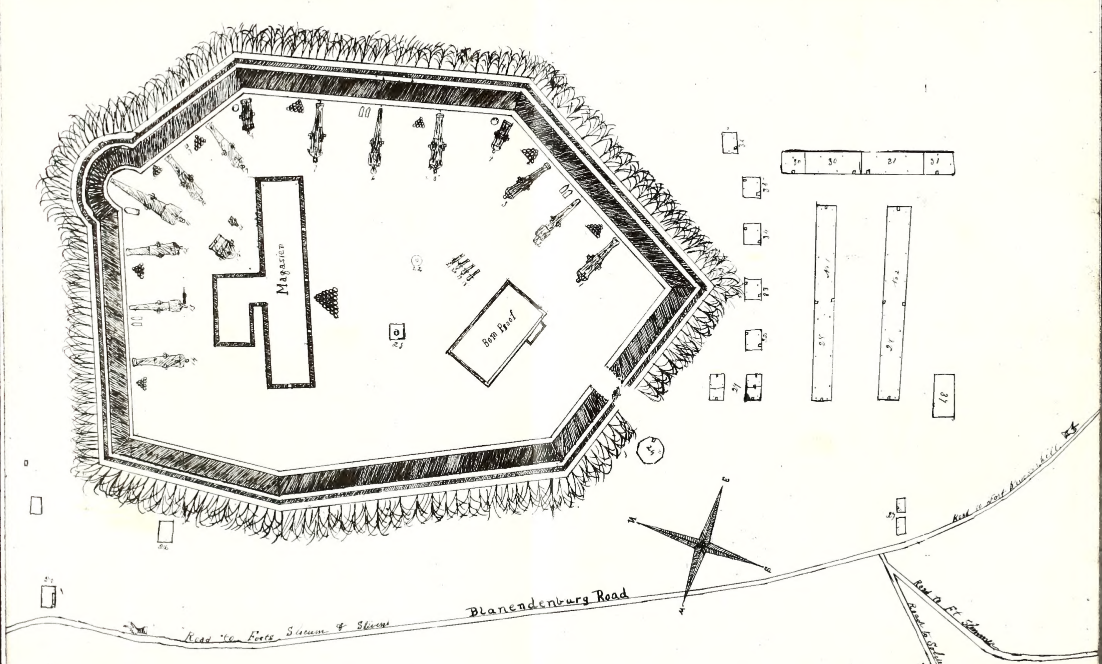

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